

CSB 86. (Amended) The ~~chip~~ package of claim 68, wherein the clip is flexible.

3 **In the Specification**

4 Under the "RELATED APPLICATIONS" heading on page 2 of the
5 Specification, the paragraph reads:

6 "This is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/468,247,
7 filed December 20, 1999, which is now U.S. Patent No. _____."

8 Please amend the paragraph to read:

9 --This is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No.
10 09/468,247, filed Dec. 20, 1999, which is now US Patent No.
11 6,352,435, and that US 6,352,435 is a division of U.S. Patent
12 Application Serial No. 08/887,567, filed on July 3, 1997, now U.S.
13 Patent No. US 6,007,357, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent
14 Application Serial No. 08/452,120, filed on May 26, 1995 now
15 abandoned.--

16 **REMARKS**

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18 Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider the subject
19 application as amended herein.

20 **Claims**

21 Claim 68 is amended to make clear that that Applicants are reciting a chip
22 package assembly of a packaging material and a separate clip. The amendment
23 finds support in the Specification, and no new matter has been added.

24 Claim 70 is amended to depend from claim 74 rather than the cancelled
25 claim 69. Claim 70 therefore now includes the limitations of claim 74, that the